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Sir:

The documents listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 and of which copies are enclosed herewith, are hereby cited for consideration in the above-identified application and for the purpose of being made of record.

This information disclosure statement is being filed after the mailing date of the first Office Action but before the mailing date of either a final action under 37 CFR 1.113 or a notice of allowance under 37 CFR 1.311. Thus, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(c), Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner

review these documents and make them of record in this application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$180.00 as specified in 37 CFR 1.17(p) and any additional fees due in connection with this paper or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 19-2179. Two additional copies of this sheet are enclosed.

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